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ENTHUSIASM WAS DOMINANT NOTE OF CASTING BALLOTS COMMERCIAL BOARD TODAY IN GREATEST MASS MEETING NATIONAL CAMPAIGN

SPEAKERS PLEDGE THEMSELVES TO GO DOWN LINE FOR A GREATER ALBANY.

QUARLES URGES CO-OPERATION

NEVER SO MANY STATES IN DOUBT AS IN THE PRESENT ELECTION.

IMPORTANCE OF PROGRESSIVE VOTE IN RACE TODAY IS ESPECIALLY EMPHASIZED.

(International News Service)

Washington, Nov. 7.—Sixteen million Americans will cast their votes before nightfall today for electors of a president and a vice-president of the United States.

The total popular vote of all candidates four years ago was 15,036,542. With the growth of the nation, the naturalization of aliens resident here in 1912, the spread of women suffrage and the intense interest this year the number of ballots cast is quite certain to reach 16,000,000 and may go much higher.

The citizens will choose 531 members of the electoral college, those ornamental officials who will solemnly meet some time hence and enact into law a result everyone will know by midnight tonight. The number of electoral votes necessary for a choice is 266.

The nation is on tiptoe awaiting the result—not only because the issues have stirred the blood of the people, but also because an unbiased observer concludes from the numerous straw ballots, the consensus of forecasts by leading partisans, the course of the betting odds, the various other indications that the result will be a very close one.

It is easy to find those on either side who will tell you to a dot just how each state will go. But as the detailed predictions of republicans and democrats are distressingly out of harmony, the best one who would rid himself of party-feeling can say is that the following states are in doubt and should be watched tonight for an indication of how the final result is going:

Doubtful States.

Indiana, 15 electoral votes; Illinois, 21; New York, 45; Ohio, 24; California, 13; Nebraska, 8; Wyoming, 3; New Jersey, 14; West Virginia, 8; Connecticut, 7; Delaware, 3; Maryland, 8; Kentucky, 13; Missouri, 18; Wisconsin, 13; Michigan, 15; Colorado, 6; New Mexico, 3; Arizona, 3; Washington, 7. Total of electoral votes in doubtful states, 255.

In this table are put all the states called doubtful by either side. Some of those listed are very doubtful, others only moderately so, and a few scarcely at all. It will be noticed that the total of doubtful electoral votes, 255, is more than half of the whole number to be chosen.

In 1912 Wilson had 435 electoral votes, Roosevelt 88, and Taft 8. But Wilson's total popular vote—6,293,019—was 1,311,444 less than Taft and Roosevelt's combined, and 2,450,504 less than that of all other presidential candidates combined. The popular vote four years ago was as follows:

Wilson (democrat)..... 6,293,019
Taft (republican)..... 3,484,956
Roosevelt (progressive)..... 4,119,507
Debs (socialist)..... 901,873
Chafin (prohibitionist)..... 207,928
Reimer (social labor)..... 29,259

The importance today of the progressive vote of four years ago is seen from the following table which gives the plurality of combined Roosevelt and Taft vote of 1912 over the Wilson vote:

State	Plurality.
New York	189,974
Pennsylvania	325,142
Illinois	235,043
Ohio	82,241
Massachusetts	124,868
Indiana	31,384
Michigan	216,077
New Jersey	55,956
Iowa	106,299
Wisconsin	25,130
Minnesota	33,764
California	4,088

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THOMAS R. MARSHALL



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Democratic nominee for vice-president of the United States. Democrats are banking on Marshall to swing Indiana into the Wilson column

DAILY WILL BEGIN TO BULLETIN ELECTION RESULTS AT 6 O'CLOCK

Primitively at 6 o'clock this evening the special loop that has been cut into the Daily office by the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. will be connected with leased trunk wires of the International News Service, and five minutes later the first election bulletin will be flashed on the screen in front of the Daily office. The Morse instruments were installed in the Daily office this morning, and the key will be manned by an expert furnished by the A. T. & T. Co.

The stereopticon, furnished by Manager Cagle of the local playhouses, will be in charge of Tom Ratcliffe, Masonic theatre expert, and an unrivaled projection is assured. The bulletins will be flashed until the definite result of the presidential race is known, which will likely be far past midnight, as at the present angle the contest looks close. When "good night" is given, the crowds in front of the Daily office will know the choice of the American electorate for the highest office within their gift.

WHERE THE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES VOTED TODAY.

(International News Service)
President Wilson in a fire engine house at Princeton, N. J.
Chas. Evans Hughes in a laundry on Forty-Fourth street, N. Y.
J. Frank Hanly in a vacant house on North Meridian street, Indianapolis, Ind.

Allen L. Benson, socialist, failed to register, but was hopeful he would be allowed to vote at Yonkers, N. Y.

More Money Forwarded to Wilson Headquarters

Capt. Samuel Blackwell, who has just returned from Bessemer, where he attended conference, announced that he had received the following additional contributions to the Wilson campaign fund:

Cash, \$21.

J. D. McNabb, \$1.00.

W. P. Russell, \$1.00.

The total sent from Albany is now in excess of \$105.

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Quarles Says Daily Has the World Beat in Papers its Class

Edwin L. Quarles, the McKeand Service Company expert, a former newspaper man, told the mass meeting at Albany city hall last night that the Albany-Decatur Daily was the best newspaper published in towns of the size of the Twin Cities that he had ever seen in his wide travels over the United States.

"Mr. Babb and I, both former newspaper men, agreed as we looked over yesterday's issue of the Daily, that it was the best paper that we had ever seen in the United States for towns of this size," said Mr. Quarles. "That front page yesterday would have reflected credit on any metropolitan newspaper published anywhere in the world."

GERMAN CRUISERS ARE SUNK BY U-BOAT SAYS WAR OFFICE

(International News Service)

London, Nov. 7.—Two German dreadnaughts were attacked in the North sea by a British submarine on Monday, the admiralty reported. Both dreadnaughts are believed to have been sunk.

BERLIN ADMITS GAINS

BY RUSSIAN ARMY

(International News Service)
Berlin, Nov. 7.—Gains for both the Austro-German forces and Russians are reported by the war office today. The Russians gained in the sector of Tolgys, while the Austro-Germans advanced southeast of Rothurn pass, capturing 10 officers and 1,000 men.

Two Vessels Clash: Both are Destroyers

(International News Service)

Rome, Nov. 7.—The destruction of an Austrian submarine and an Italian torpedo boat was announced today by the Italian ministry of marine. The submarine tried to attack a troop ship under the convoy of the torpedo boat. The transport escaped undamaged.

Dr. Dumba, Recalled Ambassador, is Dead

(International News Service)

Geneva, Nov. 7.—Dr. Constantine Dumba, former Austrian ambassador to the United States, died today, says a dispatch from Vienna.

On Saturday it was announced at Vienna that Emperor Joseph had accepted Dr. Dumba's resignation from the diplomatic service of Austria-Hungary.

WILSON MONEY IS OUT OF HIDING AS THE BALLOTS FALL

Odds in New York Drop to 10 to 9 on Hughes and Some Even Money

MCCORMICK SEES A GREAT VICTORY

Reports From West Indicate That he Was too Generous in Giving Hughes 70 Votes, he Says

(International News Service)

New York, Nov. 7.—With Wall street and the curb market closed to day the last minute betting on the election was consigned to the up-town hotels and was light in character. The odds ranged from 10 to 9 on Hughes to even money, some \$5,000 bets having been placed at the latter figures at the Waldorf. Reports from every part of the country telling of the heavy vote cast in the early hours puzzle the speculators and most of them declined to make any additional wagers.

(By JOHN EDWIN NEVIN.)

(International News Service)

New York, Nov. 7.—The jury is arriving at its verdict. In every state in the union the performances of the Wilson administration today are being passed upon by the supreme tribunal—the people.

On the decision will determine whether there is to be a continuance in power in the nation of the democracy headed by Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey, and Thomas R. Marshall of Indiana, or whether republicanism is to replace it in the person of Chas. Evans Hughes as president and Chas. W. Fairbanks as vice president.

The campaign ended and actual voting began today with both sides supremely confident.

At the last moment a wealth of Wilson money drove the betting odds in New York and Chicago down to 9 to 10 with Hughes still the favorite and even money in some instances. Reports received at republican and democratic headquarters emphasized the great interest in the result in every section of the country.

Long Lines of Voters.

Long before the polls opened in the various cities long lines of voters were in waiting. Here in New York City the votes are coming in fast. Similar reports come from the up-state section and the veteran election experts declare that this indicated general straight ballots with very little cutting.

The last word of the national campaign managers as they awaited the closing of the polls was as follows:

William R. Wilcox, republican—"Mr. Hughes will have at least 100 votes to spare in the electoral college."

Vance McCormick, democrat—"Reports from the west indicate that I gave Mr. Hughes too many votes when I allotted him 70 in the electoral college. We are going to carry everyone of the so-called doubtful states. The influx of Wilson money in the closing hours of the campaign gladdened the Wilson followers. They saw in it an effort on the part of the professional betting element to 'hedge' their bets in the light of the latest reports of increasing Wilson sentiment in the west."

Hughes Votes Early.

The republican presidential candidate was one of the early birds at the polls today. By drawing ballot No. 13, the lucky number of President Wilson, his followers declared that he merely emphasized that he was to replace the president in his job. He was in excellent form when he reached the laundry which served as a polling place and smilingly posed for the photographers and exchanged jests with his newspaper bodyguard.

President Wilson was up early at Shadow Lawn and after being motorized to Princeton, where he cast his ballot in the old fire house there, he returned and will play golf this afternoon.

Both candidates will receive the returns tonight surrounded only by their own immediate family. Mr. Hughes at the Hotel Astor and Mr. Wilson at Shadow Lawn.

Control of Congress.

Although the presidential contest overshadowed all else, the fact that control of congress also held in the balance today was not lost sight of. The democrats were very confident that they would retain control of the

WHOLESALE FRAUDS CHARGED IN ALL SECTIONS OF NATION

(International News Service)

Washington, Nov. 7.—Traps were set in practically all parts of the United States today to catch perpetrators of election frauds. The department of justice announced that its agents have been withdrawn from other chases, including Mexican border investigation, and extra men have been sworn into service to prevent fraudulent voting.

The principal states being watched are New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Minnesota and Montana. In these states hundreds of arrests are expected to be made.

CHARGE G. O. P. USES MUCH MONEY IN OHIO.

(International News Service)

Chicago, Nov. 7.—Charges that huge sums of money have been sent to Cincinnati for use in helping the republican ticket at the polls today, were made in a statement issued from democratic western headquarters here today.

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Chicago, Nov. 7.—Bribery, illegal voting, intimidation and attempts at fraud were prevalent at Chicago during the voting today, according to reports made to Hinton G. Clabaugh, head of the local bureau of federal investigation. Confession of bribes from workers for both parties had been obtained from the recipients, he said. Prices paid for votes, according to these confessions, range from 50¢ to \$2.

Watch For the Daily's Election "Extras"

Watch for the Daily's election "extras." These will be issued during the night as developments warrant, and also early tomorrow morning. In buying your "extra" tomorrow morning keep in mind that the Birmingham morning papers reaching here for street sale will go to press not later than 10 o'clock tonight, in order to catch the northbound trains. For late and reliable news, get the Daily "extras."

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WILSON MONEY IS OUT OF HIGHLIGHTING

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senate. The republicans frankly admitted that the task of getting control away from their opponents was a difficult one and probably would not succeed.

So far as the house was concerned, both sides were claiming that they would win.

McCORMICK CONFIDENT OF WILSON'S LANDSLIDE.

(International News Service)

Harrisburg, Pa., Nov. 7.—"I am more confident than ever of the re-election of President Wilson, and I am going to stick to the word 'landslide'" declared Vance McCormick, chairman of the democratic national committee this morning as he entered a tailor shop to vote.

"I predicted that the president would receive 364 votes in the electoral college and I feel now that he will get even more. We are going to get states which we had given over to the republicans."

WILSON IS CHEERED AS HE CASTS HIS VOTE.

(International News Service)

Princeton, Nov. 7.—Surrounded by cheering Princeton students President Wilson cast his ballot in a fire house here today at 9:15 a. m.

The president and Mrs. Wilson, accompanied by secret service men and newspaper men, left Shadow Lawn at 7:30 and motored to Princeton. He told members of his party that he regarded the clear weather "as more welcome luck."

Arriving at Princeton he found firehouse No. 3, his polling place, surrounded by students. They set up a cheer. Republican Election Judge R. H. Rose handed the president ballot No. 50. He was behind the curtain barely a minute.

The students boomed out a "locomotive" yell as the president left the fire house and shouted "speech, speech." He smiled and shook his head. Quite a crowd had gathered and President Wilson was whisked away amid cheers.

WOMEN VOTE HEAVILY AT ILLINOIS POLLS.

(International News Service)

Chicago, Nov. 7.—Illinois voters trooped to the polls early today. Fair weather and the unprecedented campaign made by all candidates, both state and national, gave early proof that it was giving its effect. In Chicago the early vote was particularly heavy. Many women voted early.

WILCOX STILL LOOKS FOR G. O. P. VICTORY.

(International News Service)

New York, Nov. 7.—The final word of William R. Wilcox, the national republican chairman, was a sweeping prediction today of republican victory.

Mr. Wilcox issued this statement: "The fight is won. This is republican weather. It is all over but the shouting. When the votes are counted to night proof will have been given by the American people that they will not allow themselves to be delivered to a self-appointed leader or to be misled by democratic falsehoods and deception."

ONE CITY SENDS IN FULL ELECTION RETURNS

Springfield, Mass., Nov. 7.—The first town in the United States to send in complete election returns was New Ashford, in Berkshire county. The result was Hughes 16, Wilson 7. The polls opened at 6 a. m. and closed at 10 o'clock.

(International News Service)

New York, Nov. 7.—When William R. Wilcox, the republican national chairman, was informed of the result in New Ashford, Mass., he said: "This little town's vote is indicative of what the result will be in the entire country. I am profoundly gratified by this early indication."

WILSON RUNS STRONG IN STATE OF KANSAS.

Wichita, Kans., Nov. 7.—Wilson had

The Candidates for President Compared

WOODROW WILSON.
(Democrat)

Born—Staunton, Va. Now 59 years old. Ancestry—Scotch-Irish. Educated—Davidson college (N. C.), Princeton, University of Virginia, Johns Hopkins.

Profession—Lawyer, later professor of history and economics, college president and public official. Entered active life as lawyer in Atlanta, Ga., 1882. (Later returned to studies at Johns Hopkins.)

Career—Associate professor of history and economics, Bryn Mawr College, 1885-8; professor of same subjects Wesleyan University, 1888-90; professor of jurisprudence and history and economics, Bryn Mawr, 1910, president of Princeton, Aug. 1, 1902 to Oct. 20, 1910; governor of New Jersey, Jan. 17, 1911 to March 1, 1913; president of the United States, March 4, 1913.

Married—Ellen Louise Axson, of Savannah, Ga., June 24, 1885. She died Aug. 6, 1914. Mr. Wilson married Mrs. Edith Bolling Galt, of Washington, D. C., December 18, 1915.

Children—(All by first wife)—Miss Margaret Wilson, Mrs. William McAdoo, Mrs. Francis B. Sayre.

Writings—Congressional Government, the State, Division and Reunion, An Old Master and other political essays; Mere Literature, George Washington A History of the American People, Constitutional Government in the United States, the State-Elements of Historical and Practical Politics, Free Life, the New Freedom, When a Man Comes to Himself.

Religion—Presbyterian. Married Antoinette Carter, December 5, 1888.

Children—Charles E., Jr., Helen, Catherine and Elizabeth.

Published writings—(none, of popular interest.)

Religion—Baptist.

CHARLES EVANS HUGHES.
(Republican)

Born—Glens Falls, N. Y. Now 54 years old. Ancestry—Welsh. Educated—Colgate University, Brown University, Columbia University.

Profession—Lawyer, later professor of law and jurist.

Entered active life as lawyer in New York in 1884.

Career—Practicing lawyer, New York City, 1884-91 and 1893-1906; professor of law in Cornell University, 1891-93, and special lecturer in same, 1893-5; lecturer New York Law School, 1893-1900; counsel for Stevens commission of New York legislature investigating gas companies, 1905; counsel for Armstrong legislative commission investigating insurance companies, 1905-6; special assistant to the United States attorney general in the coal investigation, 1906; governor of New York, two terms, Jan. 1, 1907 to resignation, Oct. 6, 1910; Associate Justice United States Supreme Court, 1910-1916.

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REV. SHOLL TELLS CHURCH TO VOTE

UNIQUE SERMON IS PREACHED BY PASTOR OF FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Before a large congregation Rev. M. N. Sholl Sunday night preached eloquent sermon at the First Presbyterian church of Decatur, on "How Shall We Vote?" He said in part:

"Remember that in this spiritual election there is no uncertainty about the result. The Tuesday election is close; the political pendulum has swung this way and that; no one seems exactly to know just where the drift is at present. But there is no uncertainty as to the drift in this great spiritual struggle. Don't be deceived. God is not morbid. Everyone may not believe it, but as sure as light is light, the drift in this great battle of life is toward the Cross of Christ, ten commandments, the throne of God. Why not line up on the winning side. Oh, brothers and sister, before it is too late join the Jesus party; fight the good fight of faith; lay hold on eternal life; become an heir in the God and a joint heir with Jesus Christ to an inheritance that is incorruptible, undefiled and that fadeth not away."

As to Platform Purity.

"The platform I am most interested in is the platform of the Jesus party. I am humbly trying by God's grace to give it a life endorsement. Are you? What are the essential planks in the platform of the Jesus party? Briefly let me note them:

"First. The Jesus party stands for purity. We are being constantly told by earnest reformers that both the old parties are corrupt and that the heart has been eaten out of them long ago. Certainly that is not true of the Jesus party—the real followers of the Christ. Jesus himself stands for a purity that is whiter than snow.

The Snow Prayer.

"To belong to the Jesus party means that we will not follow the throne room of our imagination with evil thoughts, that the defiling words shall not pass our lips, that our hands shall be free from all crooked deals, that we will be free from unholly associations, that we will not stain our immortal characters with the slime of the street or the filth of the underworld.

"Mamma," said a little child, "I prayed the snow prayer last night."

"The snow prayer? What is that, my child?" asked the mother.

"Why, mamma, don't you know, 'Now Wash Me and I Shall be Whiter Than Snow?'

The Jesus follower is no finished saint, but the snow prayer is the real cry of his life.

"You remember what Tennyson said of Sir Galahad: 'His strength was as the strength of ten because his heart was pure.' The faith of the new chivalry. It can only be ushered in by true Christian men. The Jesus party alone can bring in the new day. The greatest asset of the Sir Galahads of modern chivalry is the asset of purity.

Altruism, Not Safety, Is First.

"The Jesus party stands for the highest type of altruism. The great political parties of the day may accuse one another of being the servants of special privilege. This is emphatically not true of the Jesus party. It thinks in world terms and has a generous thought for the life of every man. How little many of us think of humanity. How busy we are feathering our own nests! The Christian party does not serve a group of private interests. It stands for the universal good. There is a stone seat upon the campus of Cornell university bearing the inscription, "Above All Nations is Humanity." That is the platform of Jesus Christ and his followers. The purest and most dynamic altruism in the world today is directly traceable to Jesus. It is only the gulf stream of Christian altruism that is to any satisfactory extent warming the otherwise cold and inhospitable shores of humanity. Don't hammer the church and say that it has no ear for the still sad music of humanity. The followers of Jesus do hear its exceeding great and bitter cry, and they are doing the great bulk of the world's good work. Are you voting for Jesus Christ in the great conflict of life. Remember that a vote for Jesus is a vote against all bigotry and selfishness, a vote for the pure and most disinterested altruism.

Christ is a Brave Man.

"The Jesus party stands for moral and spiritual bravery. Neither of the two dominant parties of America flings itself uncompromisingly against all that is wrong. Both parties, if not in one way in another, cringes and favors. They furl the banner when it should be twisted. The democrats humble to Tammany and the republicans do obedience to Wall street.

"There is no irresolution or cowardice among the true followers of the Jesus party. Like their divine Lord, they count not their lives dear unto

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the death. Thy have been stoned, torn asunder, slain with the sword, they have wandered in mountains and deserts and dens and caves of the earth, their maimed bodies have been used as torches in the arena, but they have neither faltered nor failed."

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

The annual stockholders meeting of the Tennessee Valley Printing Co. will be held at its office on Friday, Nov. 17, 1916, at 8 p. m., for election of officers and other important business.

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All at the Malone garage is in readiness for the celebration of the Harvest season. The club women of Albany-Decatur in co-operation with the Ladies' Benevolent society are crowding all the festivities and thanksgiving into one week, the benefit to be given for the Benevolent hospital that means so much to this community. Beside the oyster supper to be served this evening, beginning at 5:30, hot coffee and sandwiches will be served until the election returns are in. On the second floor one will be greatly amused at pictures drawn by a local artist. Between 9 and 10 o'clock an operation will be performed by a local physician for the public. Wednesday evening a dainty chicken dinner will be served, all finished before time for the opera, that surely no one can afford to miss, because it is beautiful. The rest of the week will be devoted to delightful affairs.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY**CENTRAL M. E. CHURCH.**

Mrs. J. M. Minor was hostess Monday afternoon to the Woman's Missionary society of the Central M. E. church. The subject for study was "Latin-America (that continues throughout the week) and was taken as a round table, each present contributing a part. At the close of the business meeting a delicious salad course was served. The meetings during this week of prayer will be held at the church and the leaders for the days will be: Tuesday, Mrs. J. F. Lovin; Wednesday, Mrs. T. A. Caddell; Thursday, Mrs. J. J. Rose; Friday, Mrs. W. A. Rickles.

**WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY
CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH.**

The Society met in the church parlor Monday afternoon and enjoyed a splendidly arranged program.

The subject, "A Basket of Thanksgiving," Thanksgiving stories were told by Mesdames Beauchamp, Wiggins, Burr and Curry. Especially strong features of the afternoon were papers by Mrs. Buis and Mrs. Roberts. The meeting was one of great pleasure throughout.

BOLDIN-SHEETS.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. Ott Sheets, one of the prosperous merchants of the West Side, and Miss Caroline Boldin, of Lawrence county, were quietly united in marriage by Rev. Kib Rivers. This wedding was quite a pleasant surprise to the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Sheets.

**MIZPAH CHAPTER,
NO. 19, O. E. S.**

The Mizpah Chapter, No. 19, of the O. E. S., will meet at 7:30 this evening (Nov. 7) at the Masonic hall. The full membership is urged to be present.

Mrs. John M. Lewis, of Indianapolis, Ind., is here, a guest of her sister, Mrs. W. R. Smith.

Mrs. Eugene Rainey and youngest daughter are the guests of Esquire and Mrs. E. L. Rainey on Moulton street.

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Tuesday—Mrs. A. J. Harris.
Wednesday—Mrs. Frank Davis.
Thursday—Mrs. W. E. Roper.
Friday—Mrs. F. H. Pointer.

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Priscilla club (3:15)—Mrs. Priscilla Cartwright.

Woman's Literary club—Mrs. A. G. Patterson.

Music Study Chorus (1:30)—Mrs. W. R. Shelton.

Oyster Supper—Malone Garage.

Wednesday.

Married Ladies' Bridge—Mrs. C. B. Elliott.

Cotaco Literary—Mrs. E. R. Wolfe.

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Berean—Miss Lula Giles.

Chicken Dinner (5:30)—Malone Garage.

Thursday.

Auction Bridge—Mrs. A. A. Hardage.

Musical program (8 o'clock)—Malone Garage.

Progressive Culture club (3 o'clock)—Mrs. J. D. Wyker.

Friday.

Ferry Street Rock Club—Mrs. E. D. Bailey.

Silk Stocking Club—Miss Mary Peck.

Rook party, afternoon and evening by Saturday Club—Malone Garage.

Saturday.

Silk Stocking Club—

Mrs. R. R. Vogan and children leave today for Springfield, Mo. Mr. Vogan has accepted a position in the Frisco shops there.

Mrs. Julia and Josephine Penney, the attractive guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Penney, have returned to their home at Huntsville.

Miss Ivey Mae Cain has returned to Madison, after visiting Mrs. A. Z. Bailey.

Miss Lucile McDowell, of Shady Dale, Ga., is the guest of her brother, M. H. Baynes.

"O, Wad some power the gift to gae us
To see oursells as others see us!"

Go to the art gallery and see yourself at Malone's garage. Benefit hospital.

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**Steamer Flying U.S.
Flag Sunk by U-Boat**

(International News Service.)

London, Nov. 7.—Although the steamer Lanao was flying the United States flag when she was sunk by a German submarine, information which came to light today indicated that there was nothing in the incident to cause friction between the United and Germany.

According to a deposition taken from Capt. Henry Mainland, master of the ship, for transmission to the state department at Washington, he was the only American on board.

**Landrith Forgets To
Register; Can't Vote**

Chicago, Nov. 7.—Dr. Ira J. Landrith, prohibition candidate for vice president, will not cast his vote today, because he has been so busy campaigning with J. Frank Hanly, candidate for president, that he did not have time to register at his home in Nashville, Tenn.

**Democrats Short of
Funds by \$200,000**

New York, Nov. 7.—Donations to the democratic campaign fund are \$200,000 short of the expenditures, Henry Morganthau, chairman of the finance committee, announced today. The contributions total \$1,650,000 and the expenditures \$1,850,000.

PRAYER MEETING.

Regular prayer meeting at Westminster Presbyterian church Wednesday evening at 7:30; subject, "Lessons From the Decalogue." Come, bring a friend, and bring your Bible. A blessing awaits all who attend.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Jas. Sharpe to Miss Annie May Lennon.

Chas. Logan to Miss Willie Swafford.

Chas. H. Austin to Mrs. Lessie Corsby.

G. W. Charest to Miss Maggie Stricklen.

Wm. Marty to Miss Jennie Harslee.

**ADMINISTRATOR
NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.**

J. Z. Faulkner, Deceased,
Estate of.

Probate Court, Morgan County.

Letters of administration upon the estate of said decedent, having been granted to the undersigned on the 31st day of October, 1916, by the Hon. Wm. E. Skeggs, Judge of the Probate Court of Morgan County, notice is hereby given, that all persons having claims against said estate, will be required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or that the same will be barred.

E. H. ALLISON,
Administrator.

Calling Cards—The last word in correct stationery can be obtained from the Daily. Look our line over.

**Girls With Beautiful Faces
or Graceful Figures**

American girls have a world-wide reputation for beauty, but, at the same time, there are girls in our cities who possess neither beauty of face nor form, because in these instances they suffer from nervousness, the result of disorders of the womanly organism. At regular intervals they suffer so much that their strength leaves them; they are so prostrated that it takes days for them to recover their strength. Of course, such periodic distress has its bad effect on the nervous system. The withered and drawn faces, the dark circles and crow's feet about the eyes, the straight figure without those curves which lend so much to feminine beauty, are the unmistakable signs of womanly disorders.

When a girl becomes a woman, when a woman becomes a mother, when a woman passes through the changes of riddle life, are the three periods of life when health and strength are most needed to withstand the pain and distress often caused by severe organic disturbances.

At these critical times women are best fortified by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, an old remedy of proved worth that keeps the entire female system perfectly regulated and in excellent condition.

Mothers, if your daughters are weak, lack ambition, are troubled with headaches, lassitude and are pale and sickly, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is just what they need to surely bring the bloom of health to their cheeks and make them strong and healthy.

If you are a sufferer, if your daughter, mother, sister need help, get Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription in liquid or tablet form. Then address Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive confidential advice from a staff of specialists, that's free; also 136-page book on woman's diseases sent free.

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**This is Real Coffee!**

Eyes, nose and palate, tell a coffee lover that Silver Moon Coffee is a most delicious blend. It has beautiful color, a delicate aroma, and a satisfying "smack" that lingers and pleases like a rich perfume. It has in it the combined goodness of five fine Coffees, so blended that the best of each adds to the goodness of all. Steel cut—not ground. Try

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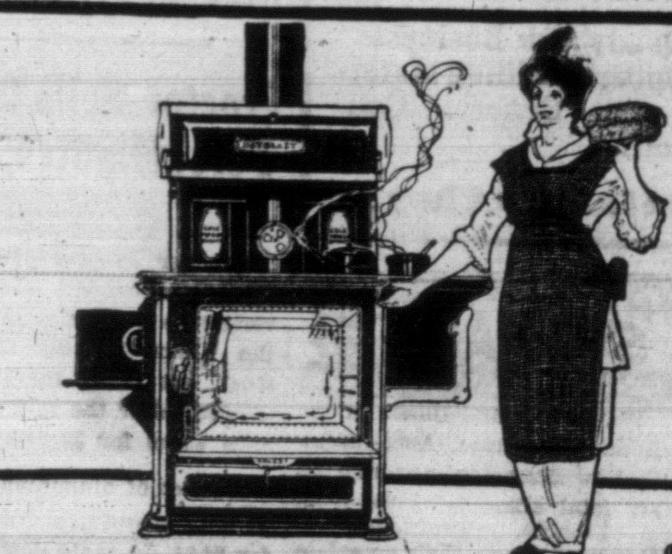
and see if you ever tasted better. Put up by coffee experts, in air-tight parchment-paper wrapped cans, and sold wherever good coffee goes. Your dealer has it—phone him.

For feather-light biscuits and muffins use Silver Moon Baking Powder, a pure phosphate powder, entirely free of alum.

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Something NEW is now going to happen at THE FASHION and we are going to pay you to guess what it is.

Your choice, any Silk Dress in stock will be given to the first man, woman or child who guesses it. Write your guess on a piece of paper and bring or mail it to The Fashion before we close Wednesday p. m. The time of day it is received will be recorded on your Guess and the first to guess it correctly will be the rightful winner. The Winner will be announced in The Daily Thursday.

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Power Company Suits Settled Out of Court

Several suits against the Alabama Power Company involving the crossing of lands in Morgan county by the transmission line from Albany to Hartselle were settled Saturday. The suits follow:

Alabama Power Company vs. Mary A. Staten, settled and dismissed, the company paying the costs.

Alabama Power Company vs. Unity D. Dancy and Mary Lou Dancy, settled and dismissed, the company paying the costs.

Alabama Power Company vs. Mary A. Staten, easement having been granted across land, case is dismissed. The other case decided in circuit court Saturday was John Almon vs. the Royal Exchange Assurance of London, a jury giving the plaintiff a verdict of \$1,237.06.

Pector Sells Out in Forty Minutes; Some Ad

Manager Proctor of the Morgan Furniture Company who yesterday advertised a sale of aluminum ware in the Albany-Decatur Daily, sold his stock out clean this morning forty minutes after the sale opened, and at once wired for 30 sets more.

The set of aluminum ware that the Morgan Furniture Company offered for \$6.75, 50 cents down and 25 cents per week, was advertised in Memphis papers of Sunday for sale Monday morning at \$9.75, \$1 down and \$1 per week. Another object lesson in the economy of trading at home!

AMUSEMENTS

"THE LILAC DOMINO."

Andreas Dippel, grand opera impresario and former co-director of the Metropolitan, New York, and general manager of the Chicago and Philadelphia Grand Opera Companies, will present his latest spectacular, high class opera, "The Lilac Domino," at the Masonic Wednesday, Nov. 8.

"The Lilac Domino" organization was formed by Mr. Dippel for the adequate presentation in this country of genuine light opera and immediately met with the most hearty approval of the music lovers and grand opera patrons of New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Washington in which cities the opera was given for over one year. This is not only a musical, but a genuine operatic and social event and should be looked forward to with eager pleasure by local music lovers, more especially as in this event we are to have the same organization as it appeared last season.

Mr. Dippel, unlike other managers, does not believe in substitutes, and notwithstanding the remarkable success of "The Lilac Domino" insists that only one company shall present it under his management.

The eminently successful light operatic production "The Lilac Domino," produced by Andreas Dippel, is to be seen in this city at the Masonic tomorrow night. The reserved seat sale is now on. Mail orders will be filled in the order of their receipt.

Reservations must be called for by noon Wednesday.

Poor luck in baking will ruin the best disposition. With Cole's Hot Blast Range your luck is always splendid.

16,000,000 VOTERS CASTING BALLOTS

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Kansas	51,297
Washington	97,303
Connecticut	29,092
Maine	23,925
Colorado	16,469
North Dakota	19,261
Oregon	15,209
Rhode Island	14,439
New Hampshire	15,997
Vermont	30,025

RECORD VOTE BROUGHT OUT IN OLD OHIO.

(International News Service.)

Cleveland, Nov. 7.—Registration in the state for today's election exceeds that of any previous year, and ideal weather conditions promise to bring out a record vote.

INDIANA IS DOUBTFUL UNTIL POLLS CLOSE.

Indianapolis, Nov. 7.—With two candidates for vice president and one for president from this state and the election of two United States senators in the balance political leaders predicted the vote of 650,000 in 1912 would be exceeded in Indiana today. Indiana will be a doubtful state until the votes are counted.

WOMAN HAS OWN CONGRESS PLATFORM.

Butte, Montana, Nov. 7.—Miss Jeanette Rankin, running for congresswoman at large in Montana today on the regular republican ticket, has a platform slightly different from the usual G. O. P. principles. Here it is:

National woman suffrage.
Child welfare.
Tariff revision for the protection of the worker.

Prohibition (for state and nation). Greater publicity in congressional committee.

With the exception of Miss Josephine Fernald of San Francisco, democrat, Miss Rankin is the only woman whose name will be voted on for congress tomorrow. In the primaries Miss Rankin, facing seven other contenders, polled a plurality of 7,000 more votes than the nearest other contestant.

It was due to Miss Rankin's efforts, more than those of any other person that Montana granted suffrage to women. She dances well, is an excellent horseman, makes her own clothers—which are called "stunning"—and is said once to have built a board sidewalk.

Miss Rankin is small and slight, with hair her enemies call red and her friends call light brown. She is still in her early thirties.

ENTHUSIASM WAS DOMINANT NOTE OF

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more than any one enterprise in boosting the city and promoting its expansion.

Large Attendance.

The meeting was well attended. The council chamber was filled, a number stood in the back of the hall and a score stood outside. At the close of the meeting Prof. J. M. Collier, superintendent of Decatur schools, was introduced and spoke in advocacy of the educational amendment. This meeting, however, was not in connection with the previous one.

No Socks in German Army.

The German soldier does not wear socks, but fusslappen. These are strips of cloth soaked in tallow and wound about the feet. They are supposed to be preferable to socks in that they wear more evenly, are more easily cleaned and, when properly worn, are not so likely to wrinkle and cause blisters.

Military authorities disagree, however, as to the relative value of socks and tallow-soaked strips. Either covering, though, is considered preferable to the custom of wearing no socks, which has prevailed in the French, Spanish and Italian armies—Outlook.

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Ten years ago a friend told me to try Thedford's Black-Draught, which I did, and I found it to be the best family medicine for young and old.

I keep Black-Draught on hand all the time now, and when my children feel a little bad, they ask me for a dose, and it does them more good than any medicine they ever tried.

We never have a long spell of sickness in our family, since we commenced using Black-Draught."

Thedford's Black-Draught is purely vegetable, and has been found to regulate weak stomachs, aid digestion, relieve indigestion, colic, wind, nausea, headache, sick stomach, and similar symptoms.

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Leave Birmingham Daily	- - -	7:40 pm
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Arrive Pensacola	- - -	6:15 am
Arrive New Orleans	"	7:30 am

NOTE:—Local sleepers Birmingham to Mobile and Pensacola; can be occupied until 7:00 am.

Only Sleeping Car Passengers carried on this train south of Montgomery.

"TRAVEL THE ATTRACTIVE WAY"

Additional fast steel vestibuled trains leaves Birmingham for New Orleans daily at 9:00 am. and 3:55 pm.

Don't Guess

You might not always be right and even though you were, you might not be able to prove it.

Memory plays strange tricks and in the case of cash transactions, without a record, the memory of two persons does not always agree.

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